

Training the New and Experienced Gardener

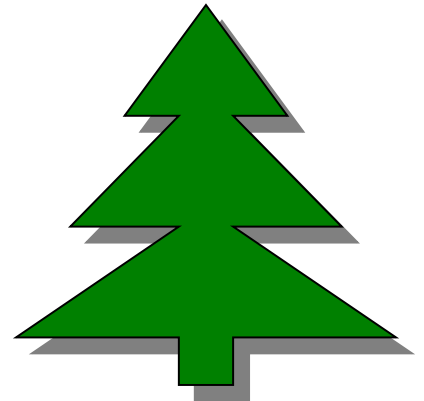


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Teacher Training Agenda

- Setting a Comfortable Class Atmosphere
- Preparing for the Class Session
- Know Your Students
- Use Available Resources
- Include Key Information on a Handout
- Sample Project Budget
- Classes Available at The Garden Company
- The Purpose behind Offering Classes
- Class and Classroom Schedule
- Sales Projection
- Question and Answer Time



Setting a Comfortable Class Atmosphere



Name Tags



Refreshments

- ★ *Can be prearranged with TGC staff*

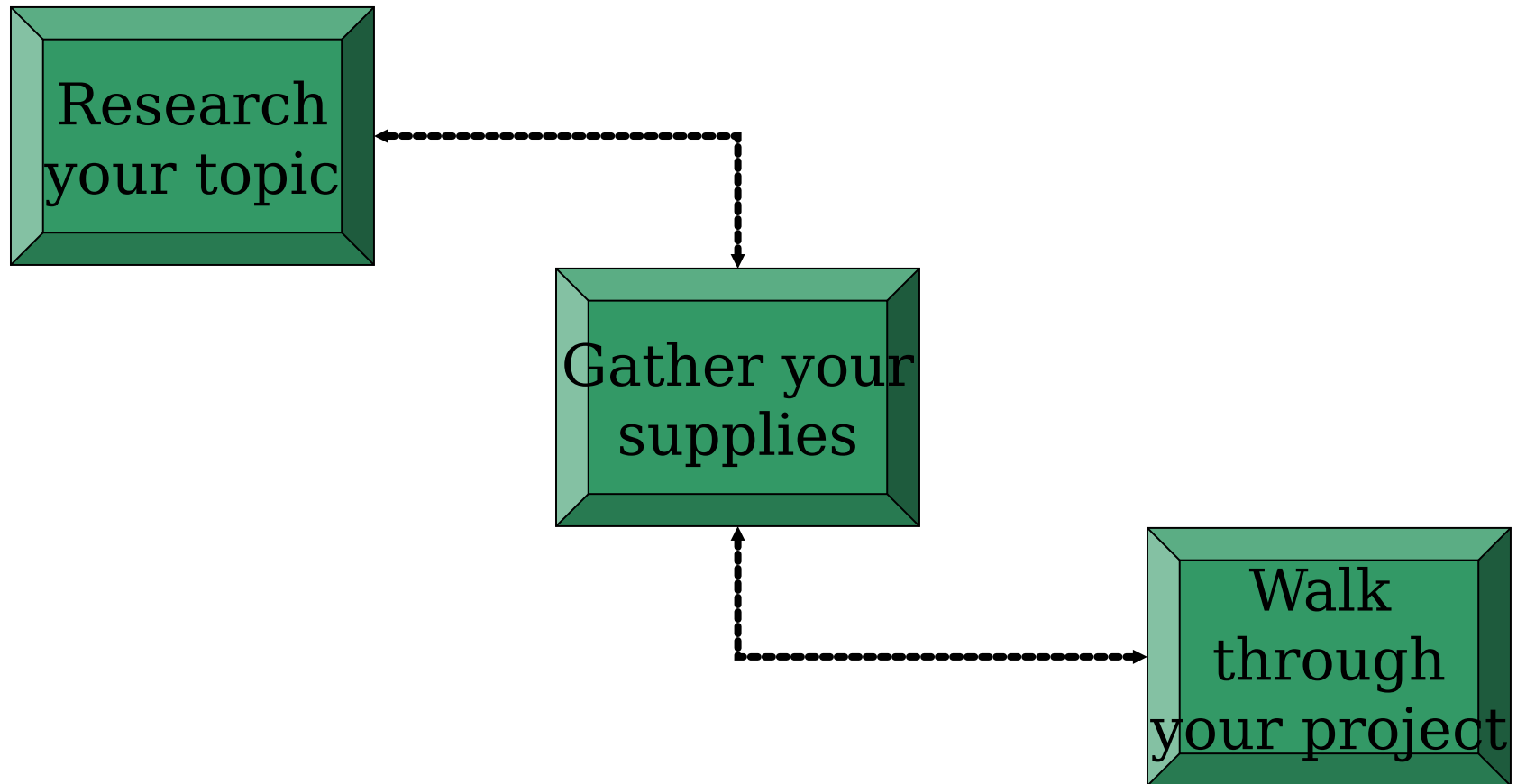


Seating Arrangement

- ★ *See class schedule for facility usage*



Preparing for the Class Session

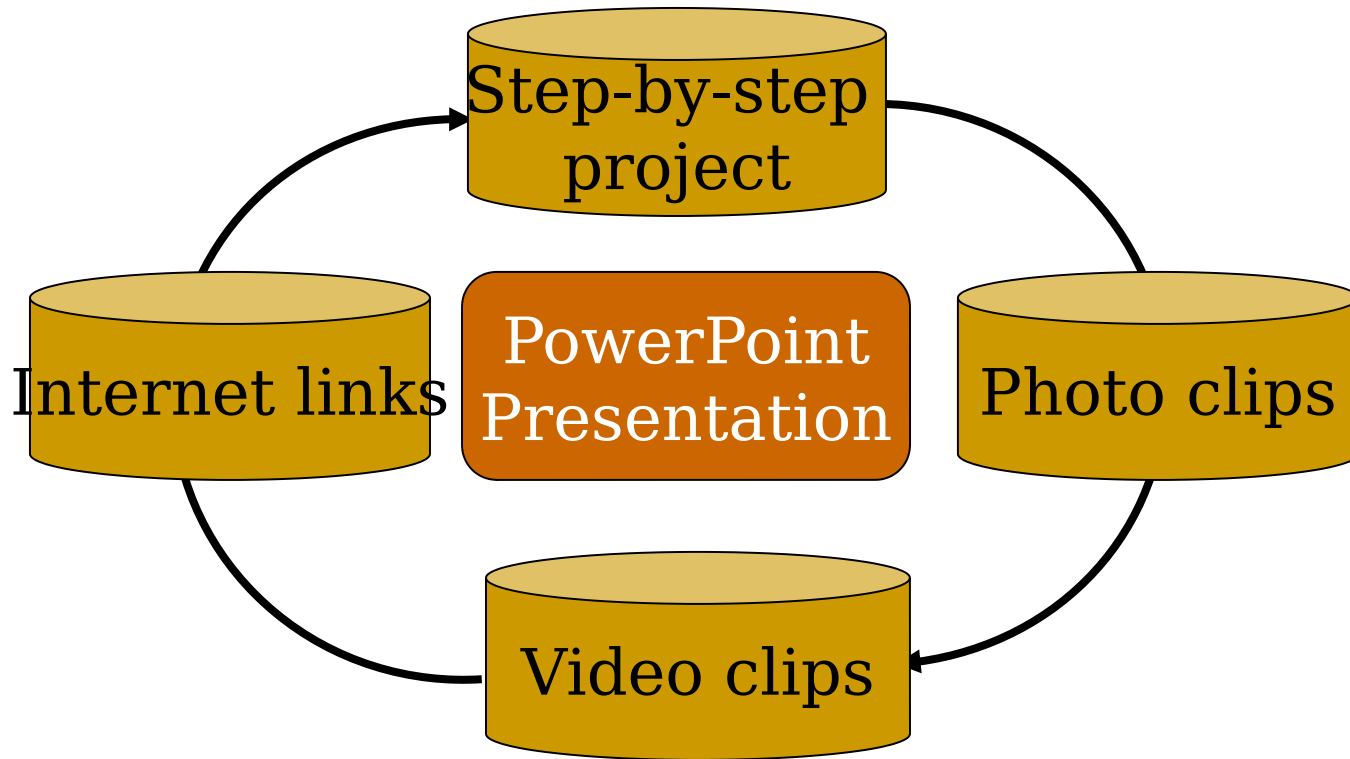


Know Your Students

- Find out the knowledge level of your students
- Teach to the knowledge level of your students



Use Available Resources



The Garden Company staff can help you create PowerPoint presentations prior to your class session.

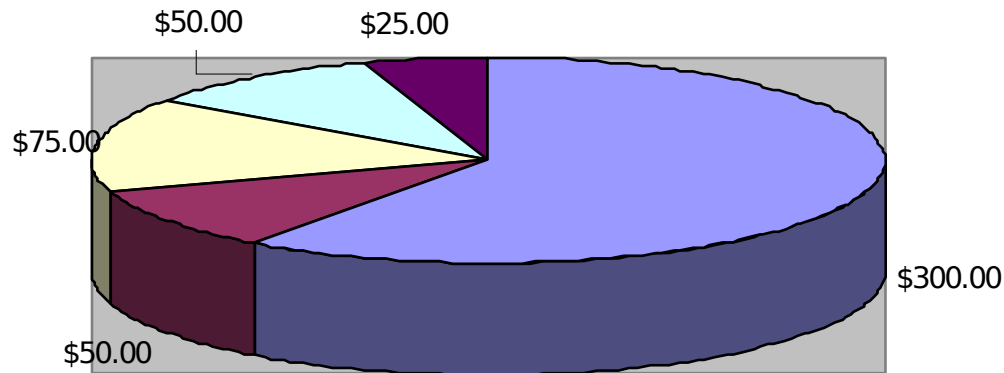
Include Key Information on a Handout

- Project preparation
 - ★ *What do I need to do before I get started?*
- Project budget
 - ★ *What kinds of expenses should I plan for?*
- Supplies and equipment needed
- Maintenance program



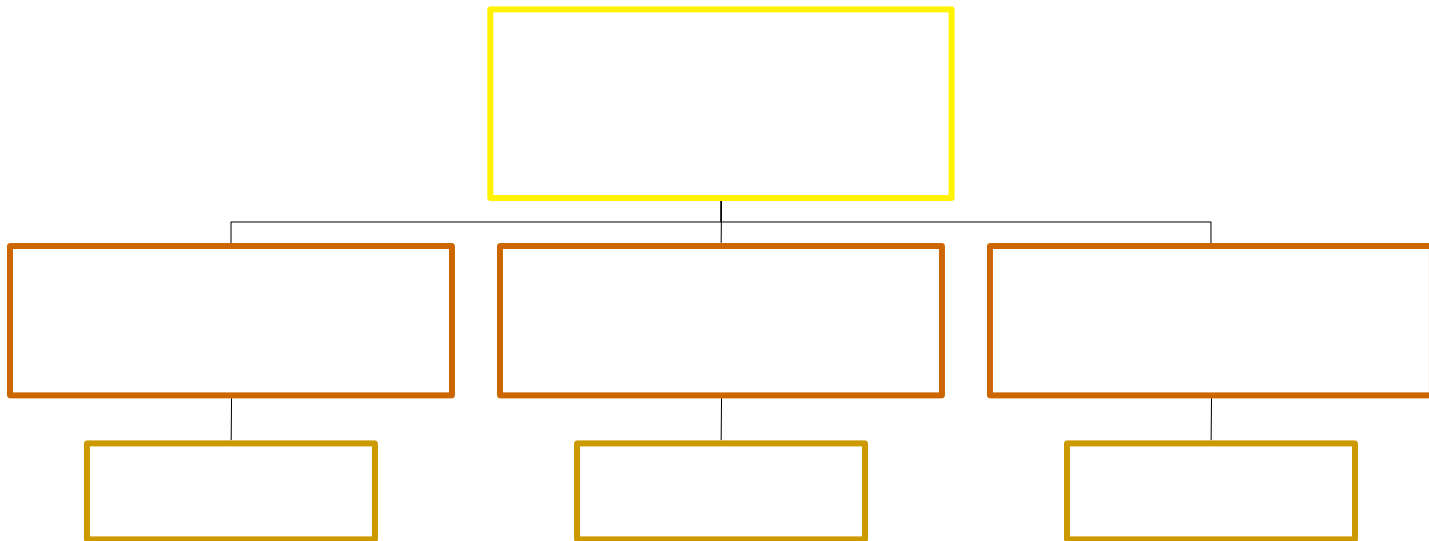
Sample Project Budget

\$500 Flower Garden Budget for Fall/Winter

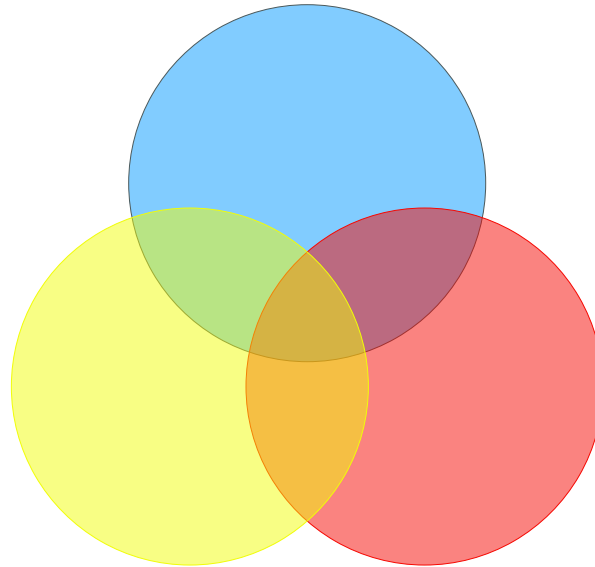


- Flower--Seeds/Potted
- Gardening Tools
- Soil/Fertilizer
- Rocks/Garden Décor
- Watering/Maintenance Supplies

The Garden Company Team



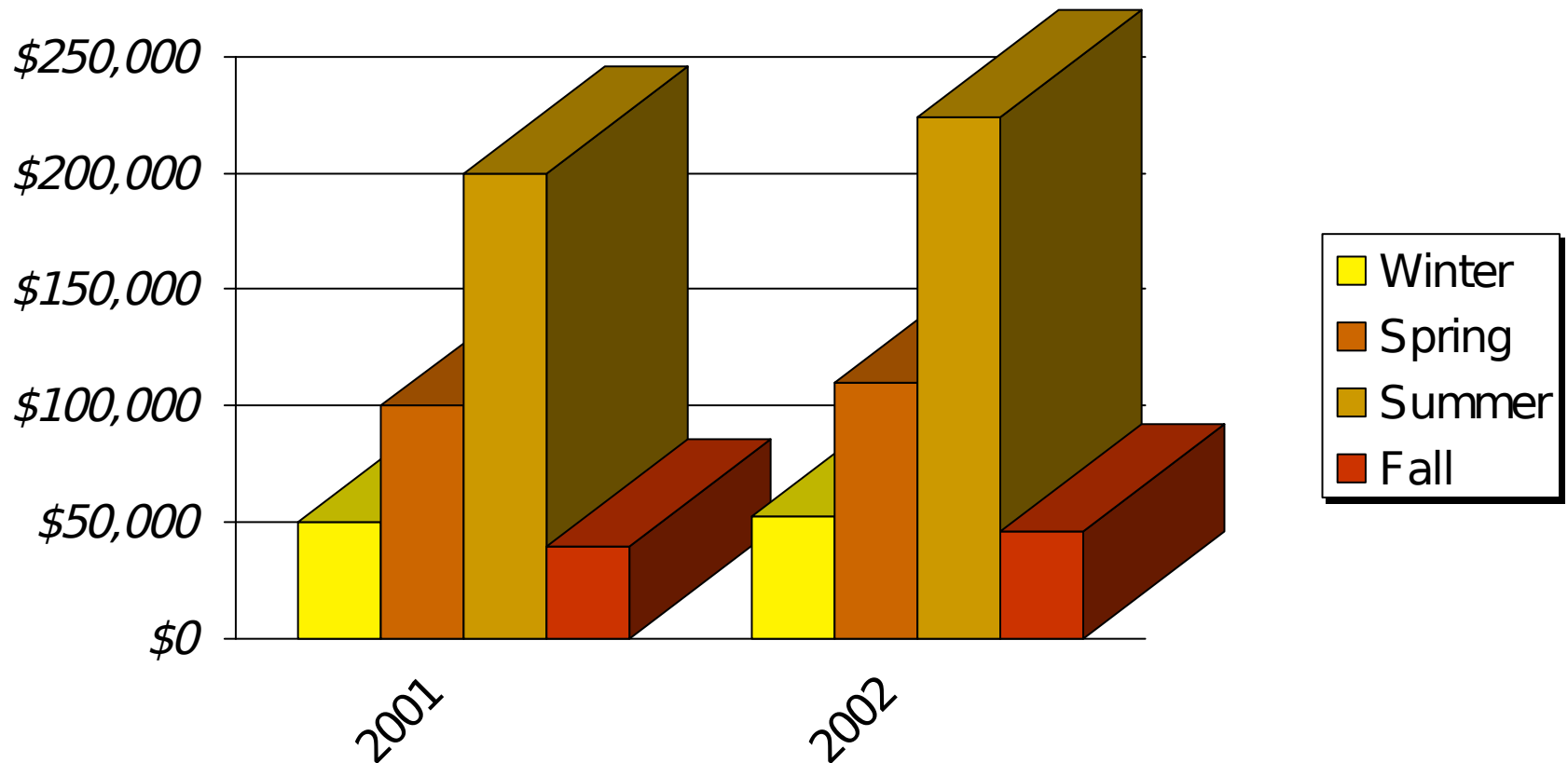
The Purpose behind Offering Classes



Class and Classroom Schedule

Class	Classroom
Trees and Shrubs	Rear Patio
Lawn Care	
Flowers	Room 1
Indoor Plants	Greenhouse

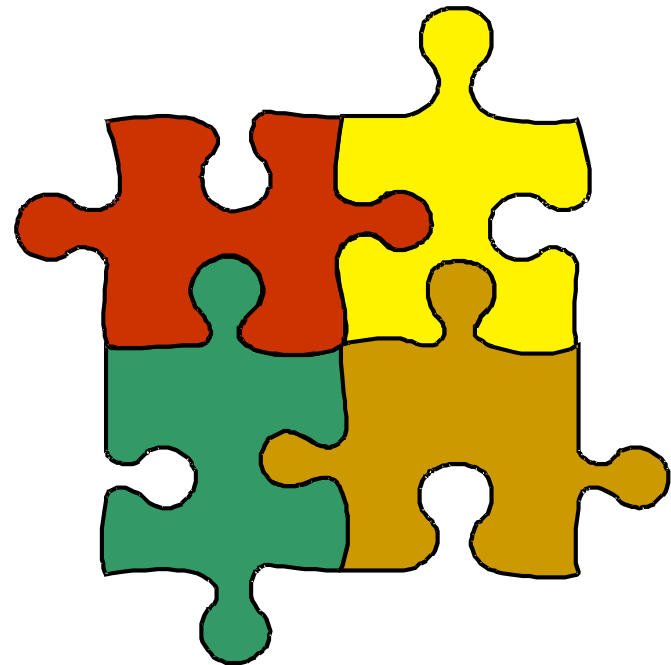
Sales Projection



Increases in sales are expected due to increased community outreach and advertising.

Question and Answer Time

- Class sign-ups, Class size, and Class cost
- Class advertising
- Teacher and student discounts at The Garden Company



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Helping our community grow!